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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): SUNAGA et al. ) Group Art Unit: 2665  
Serial No.: 09/238,368 ) Examiner: Steven H D Nguyen  
Filed: January 27, 1999 )  
For: TRANSFER SCHEME FOR SPEECH AND )  
VOICE BAND SIGNALS AND ISDN )  
SIGNALS USING REDUCED )  
TRANSMISSION BANDWIDTH OVER ATM )

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**  
**(37 C.F.R. §1.114)**

Mail Stop RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

1. Applicant hereby requests continued examination, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.114, for the above identified application.

**TIME REQUEST IS BEING MADE**

2. This request is being submitted prior to abandonment of the application.

**ENCLOSURES**

3. Enclosed herewith is an Amendment.

**FEE FOR REQUEST (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e))**

4. This application is on behalf of a large entity ..... \$790.00

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**FEE FOR CLAIMS**

5. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

	(Column 1)		(Column 2)		(Column 3)	Other than a small entity
	Claims remaining after amendment		Highest no. previously paid for		Present extra	Rate Additional fee
Total	14	Minus	14 =		0	x 50 = \$ 0
Independent	3	Minus	3 =		0	x 200 = \$ 0
First presentation of multiple dep. claim						+ 360 = \$ 0
Total						\$ 0

**No Additional Fee Is Required**

**EXTENSION OF TIME**

6. The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a) apply.

Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(1)-(4), for the total number of months checked below:

Extension for (months)	Fee for other <u>than</u> <u>small entity</u>	Fee for <u>small entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 450.00	\$ 225.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 1,020.00	\$ 510.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>four months</b>	<b>\$ 1,590.00</b>	\$ 795.00
<input type="checkbox"/> five months	\$ 2,160.00	\$1,080.00

**Fee \$ 1,590.00**

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

**TOTAL FEE(S) DUE**

7. The total fee(s) due is/are:

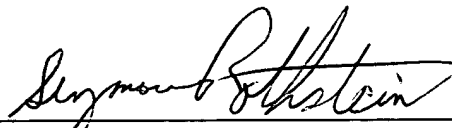
Continued Prosecution Fee (§1.17(e))	\$ <u>790.00</u>
Fee(s) for additional claims (if any) (§ 1.16(b)-(d))	\$ <u>- 0 -</u>
Extension of time fee (if any) (§ 1.17(a)(1)-(4))	\$ <u>1,590.00</u>
Total Fee(s) Due	\$ <u>2,380.00</u>

8. Please pay the fee(s) for this continued examination application as follows:

- ☒ Check No. 027417 is attached in the sum of \$ 2,380.00
- ☐ Charge Deposit Account \_\_\_\_\_ the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- ☒ The Commissioner is authorized to charge payment of the following amounts associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 15-0508

Date: March 23, 2005

Attorney's Signature

  
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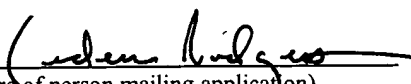
**CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.10**

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